

SENATE BILL 491

By Bell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,  
Chapter 5, relative to the Uniform Administrative  
Procedures Act.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-215(b), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting the following:

(b) Prior to the effective date of a rule, the house of representatives or senate government operations committee may stay the running of the ninety-day period required by § 4-5-207 for up to seventy-five (75) days. The stay shall take effect when the committee files written notice with the secretary of state and shall specify the stay's length of effectiveness. Prior to the expiration date of the stay, the committee may withdraw the stay. Withdrawal or expiration of the stay shall reactivate the running of the balance of the ninety-day period that remained upon the date the stay was filed.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, the public welfare requiring it.